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The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the publication of Notices of Rulemaking Docket Opening when an agency opens a rulemaking docket to consider rulemaking. Under the APA effective January 1, 1995, agencies must submit a Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening before beginning the formal rulemaking process.

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BOARD OF DISPENSING OPTICIANS

Editor's Note: The following Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening was exempt from Executive Order 2011-05 as issued by Governor Brewer. (See the text of the executive order on page 711.)

[R12-24]

<u>Title and its heading:</u><u>Chapter and its heading:</u>4, Professions, and Occupations20, Board of Dispensing Opticians

Article and its heading: 1, In General

Section number: R4-20-102, R4-20-109, R4-20-118, R4-20-119, Table 1

2. Subject matter of the proposed rule:

The Board of Dispensing Opticians is initiating rulemaking to clarify the rules already in place. The Board purposes to amend R4-20-102 to include a copy of required documentation versus turning in an original. Amend R4-20-109 to exclude submitting evidence of ABO and NCLE passage. Amend R4-20-118 to clarify record of prescription instead of copy, and include the source of prescription in the record. Amend R4-20-119 to further clarify substandard care when filling prescriptions. Amend Table 1 to allow time to review and issue licenses for optical establishments.

3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:

Not applicable

4. The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rule:

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5. The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:

Written Comments: The board will continue to accept written comments at the location listed above between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, until the close of record.

6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:

To be determined